

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S) : Benco et al.
TITLE : NETWORK SUPPORT FOR
GRADUATED AIRTIME BILLING
APPLICATION NO. : 10/752,050
FILED : January 6, 2004
CONFIRMATION NO. : 6126
EXAMINER : LAI
ART UNIT : 2617
LAST OFFICE ACTION : February 6, 2008
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : LUTZ 200265
Case Name/No. Benco 57-51

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from a decision of the primary Examiner mailed **February 6, 2008** finally rejecting claims 1-47. A Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review is being filed herewith.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. **STATUS OF APPLICANT**

☒ This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

2. **FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

☒ other than a small entity \$510.00

3. **EXTENSION OF TERM**

☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a _____-month extension of time up to and including _____ in which to file the accompanying Notice of Appeal. Payment for the filing of this Notice of Appeal and any appropriate extension of time fees are authorized to be charged to a Credit Card. The appropriate form PTO-2038 is enclosed for this purpose. If the Credit Card is unable to be charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. If there are any additional fees required by this communication, please charge same to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

4. **TOTAL FEES DUE**

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal Fee: \$510.00
Extension of Time Fee: \$.00

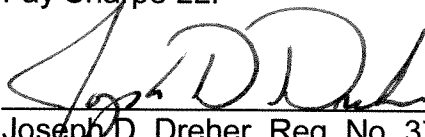
5. **METHOD OF PAYMENT**

☒ The fees indicated above are authorized to be charged to a credit card.

Respectfully submitted,

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